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In re application of:

GERMAIN FOURNIER ET AL.

For: TURNING DEVICE FOR LUMBER AND THE LIKE

Filed: August 31, 2001

Serial No.: 09/942,682

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**PETITION TO WITHDRAW HOLDING OF ABANDONMENT
BASED ON FAILURE TO RECEIVE OFFICE ACTION**

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Sir:

This is in response to the Notice of Abandonment mailed on July 7, 2003, in view of Applicant's failure to respond to the Office letter mailed on November 26, 2002.

Following a search of the file jacket and docket records, Applicant respectfully submits that the Office letter was never received by the Applicant or his representative.

In support of Applicant's contention that the Office letter was never received, enclosed in Annex A is a copy of the docket record for this file where the nonreceived Office letter would have been entered had it been received and docketed, with the precise line on which it would have appeared highlighted in yellow. Every document that is received by our firm goes through the Mail Department. The Mail Department is responsible for entering every deadline before the mail is dispatched to the appropriate agent. Thereafter, the agents verify that the entered deadlines are correct. Two deadline dates are entered for every Office letter received from the United States Patent and Trademark Office: the deadline that is allotted by the USPTO, and the six-month final extension deadline. Based on a mailing date of November 26, 2002, the six-month final extension deadline for this particular Office letter would have been May 26, 2003. Therefore, we enclose in Annex B a printout of all deadlines that were entered by our Mail Department for the three-day period from May 25, 2003 to May 27, 2003, with the precise

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line where the nonreceived Office letter would have been entered had it been received and docketed highlighted in yellow.

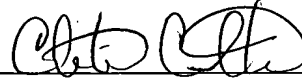
Applicant believes that no fee is associated with this petition, however, should a fee be required, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge same to Account No. 19-5113.

In view of the above remarks, Applicant respectfully requests that a new Office letter be mailed by the Commissioner and that the holding of abandonment be withdrawn.

Respectfully submitted,

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SUMMARY

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SUMMARY DETAILS

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EVENTS

Code	Date	Description	Year	Type	Done	Paid
OA-2M	Dec. 4, 2001	Missing Parts	0	OA	yes	yes
OA-6M	Apr. 4, 2002	Final Ext. Term	0	OA	yes	yes

NAMES

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May 25, 2003	11924-13US	Short Term	11924 Securitex Inc.	510	May 26, 2003
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May 25, 2003	12385-17CAPR	Completion Doc's & Fees	12385 Centre des Technologies du Gaz	505	May 23, 2003
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May 25, 2003	12806-30PCT	Priority Doc Due	12806 Shire BioChem Inc.	520	May 9, 2003
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May 25, 2003	14090-1	Amendment	Unilock Limited	515	Apr. 30, 2003
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May 25, 2003	15203-2	Final Fee	Palermo, Robert F.	505	Jan. 8, 2003
May 25, 2003	15378-1CA	Reinstatement	Clete Darnell	505	Sep. 23, 2002
May 25, 2003	15379-13US-1	Final Ext. Term	Corporation Avestor Inc.	510	May 9, 2003
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May 25, 2003	7998-51CA	Reinstate/Seq. List	Townsend, Townsend & Crew CA11	460	Apr. 4, 2003
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